

REMARKS

A Restriction Requirement under 35 U.S.C. §121 was mailed to the Applicant on January 19, 2007 asserting that claims 54-93 are directed to multiple inventions and multiple invention species.

In response to the Restriction Requirement, the Applicant hereby elects the Invention Group I including apparatus claims 54-79. Additionally, the Applicant hereby elects Species Group A (Figures 1-6). The Applicant further submits that pending claims 54-70 and 74-79 are readable on the elected species of the invention. The Applicant also submits that independent claims 54 and 75 are generic to the elected species of the invention.

Further consideration of the present application in view of the foregoing elections is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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